

LOUISIANA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT
AND ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

APPLICATION AND REVIEW
SUMMARY

APPLICATION NUMBER: C10-5-013

APPLICANT: Gabriel House

PROJECT TITLE: Child Abuse Counseling Program

PROJECT FUNDS :

FUND: \$ 14,660 80.00%

MATCH: \$ 3,665 20.00%

TOTAL: \$ 18,325 100.00%

PROJECT DURATION: 12 months

START DATE: 09/01/2010

END DATE: 08/31/2011

Continuation of C98-5-005

PROJECT SUMMARY:

To provide counseling, educational and support services for abused and neglected children. Provides individual and group counseling based on the individual programming needs of each victims in the program. We assess each participant in the program to see what their individual needs are and what are the best services we can provide to restore the child. Collaborates with Child Protection Services, local agencies and churches to provide our children with the best quality services they need as victims of abuse and neglect.

RECOMMENDATION : FUND X DENY

SPECIAL CONDITIONS :

1. NO RELEASE OF 10% TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDS BY LCLE UNTIL MONITORING REVIEW IS RECEIVED BY LCLE.
2. NO DRAWDOWN OF FUNDS (AWARD) UNTIL APPLICATION IS REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY LCLE STAFF.



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CRIME VICTIM ASSISTANCE
FORMULA GRANT PROGRAM

CFDA #16.575

FOR LCLE USE ONLY:

Project ID: C10-5-013

CVA Purpose Area: 3

1. TITLE OF PROJECT

Child Abuse Counseling Program

2. NEW PROJECT

CONTINUATION PROJECT OF: C09-5-012

3. PROJECT DURATION

Total Length: Months (Not to exceed 12 Months)
Desired Start Date: 9/1/2010
Desired End Date: 8/31/2011

4. PROJECT FUNDS

Federal Funds: \$14,660
Cash Match
In-Kind Match: \$3,665
Total Project: **\$18,325**

5A. APPLICANT AGENCY INFORMATION

Agency Name: Gabriel House
Physical Address: 6141 St. Gabriel Ct.
City: Baton Rouge, Louisiana Zip: 70811-4118
Mailing Address: 6141 St. Gabriel Ct.
City: Baton Rouge, Louisiana Zip: 70811-4118
Phone: (225) 357-1650 FAX: (225) 358-8625
Email:

5B. AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL OF APPLICANT AGENCY

Authorized Official: Martha Newborn-Johnson
Title: Executive Director/Project Director
Agency Name: Gabriel House
Address: 6141 St. Gabriel House
City: Baton Rouge, Louisiana Zip: 70811-4118
Phone: (225) 357-1650 FAX: (225) 358-8625
Email:

Fed Employer Tax Id: 72-1404305 DUNS: 05867-1038 CCR CAGE/NCAGE: 5F4P7 CCR Expiration Date: 3/26/2011

6. IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

Name: Martha Newborn-Johnson
Title: Project Director
Agency: Gabriel House
Address: 6141 St. Gabriel House
City: Baton Rouge, LA Zip: 70811-
Phone: (225) 357-1650 FAX: (225) 358-8625
Email:

7. PROJECT DIRECTOR

Name: Martha Newborn-Johnson
Title: Project Director
Agency: Gabriel House
Address: 6141 St. Gabriel Ct.
City: Baton Rouge, LA Zip: 70811-
Phone: (225) 357-1650 FAX: (225) 358-8625
Email:

8. FINANCIAL OFFICER

Name: Audrey Quincy
Title: Financial Officer
Agency: Gabriel House
Address: 6141 St. Gabriel Ct.
City: Baton Rouge, LA Zip: 70811-
Phone: (225) 357-1650 FAX: (225) 358-8625
Email:

9. BRIEF PROJECT DESCRIPTION: (Please do not exceed space provided below.)

Gabriel House is a non-profit organization providing counseling, educational and support services for abused and neglected children. We provide individual and group counseling based on the individual programming needs of each victim in the program. We assess each participant in the program to determine what their needs are and what are the best and appropriate services we can provide to restore the child. According to the news media and community meetings, we find that child abuse and neglect is on the rise. We collaborate with Child Protection Services, local agencies and churches to provide our children with the best quality services they need as victims of abuse and neglect.

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VOCA PURPOSE AREAS

Please Check Type of Victimization Served (Check all that apply):	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sexual Assault
<input type="checkbox"/>	Domestic Abuse
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Child Abuse
<input type="checkbox"/>	Previously Underserved
State Type of Previously Underserved:	

PROJECT BUDGET SUMMARY

INSTRUCTIONS: The Checklist is self-explanatory. In Project Summary, applicable budget category totals will be automatically entered from each of the Detailed Project Budget Summaries. Provide source of Cash and/or In-Kind Match. In last table, check the type of victimization types that this project will address.

CHECKLIST:

	YES:	NO:
Are all budgeted items allowable per Program Guidelines?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were instructions followed to determine allowable personnel/contractual costs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are all line item computations correct?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do line items add to category totals?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have category totals been rounded to nearest dollar?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Each category amount listed in the table below must equal category totals shown on Pages 3 through 11.		
Person Completing Budget Section: Martha Newborn-Johnson	Title: Project Director	
Phone: (225) 357-1650	Fax: (225) 358-8625	E-Mail:

PROJECT BUDGET SUMMARY

BUDGET CATEGORIES	FEDERAL FUNDS	CASH MATCH	IN-KIND MATCH	SECTION TOTAL
SECTION 100. PERSONNEL	\$10,050	\$0	\$980	\$11,030
SECTION 200. FRINGE BENEFITS	\$1,332	\$0	N/A	\$1,332
SECTION 300. TRAVEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SECTION 400. EQUIPMENT	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SECTION 500. SUPPLIES	\$100	\$0	\$883	\$983
SECTION 600. CONTRACTUAL	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0
SECTION 700. RENOVATION COSTS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SECTION 800. OTHER DIRECT COSTS	\$3,178	\$0	\$1,802	\$4,980
TOTAL:	\$14,660	\$0	\$3,665	\$18,325

Provide Source of Cash Match:

Provide Source of In-Kind Match: Supplies - Envelopes/printer cartridges/video and workbooks = 883.00
Personnel Volunteers - 98 hrs @ 10.00 per hour = 980.00
Utilities Cost - Donated Services - 10.3 Mo @ 175 mo = 1,802.00

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SECTION 100. PERSONNEL

Enter Position Titles and Names of the employees for each position funded through this grant. For further information and direction, please refer to the application instructions.

FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES:

POSITION TITLE	EMPLOYEE NAME	FT	ACTUAL MONTHLY SALARY	TIME DEVOTED TO PROJECT	NUMBER OF MONTHS	TOTAL SALARY PAID BY GRANT	PAID WITH	
							F	C
		FT				\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		FT				\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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		FT				\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		FT				\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUBTOTAL AMOUNT OF FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES SALARIES:						\$0.00	F = Fed Funds	C = Cash Match

PART-TIME OR OVERTIME EMPLOYEES:

POSITION TITLE	EMPLOYEE NAME	PT OT	ACTUAL EMPLOYEE HOURLY SALARY RATE	NUMBER OF HOURS	TIME DEVOTED TO PROJECT	NUMBER OF WEEKS	TOTAL SALARY PAID BY GRANT	PAID WITH	
								F	C
Social Worker	Stephanie Wilson	PT	\$22.73	18.00	13.20%	50.00	\$2,700.32	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Project Director	Martha Newborn-Johnson	PT	\$19.56	32.00	15.34%	50.00	\$4,800.80	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Counselor	Janice Brown	PT	\$20.98	18.00	13.50%	50.00	\$2,549.07	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
							\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
							\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
							\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
							\$0.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUBTOTAL AMOUNT OF PART-TIME AND/OR OVERTIME EMPLOYEES SALARIES:							\$10,050.19	F = Fed Funds	C = Cash Match

VOLUNTEERS:

DUTIES: List ONLY volunteers used as In-Kind Match. Duties must directly relate to the focus of this project. For further information and direction, please refer to the application instructions.	NO. OF HOURS	VALUED RATE OF HOURLY PAY	IN-KIND TOTAL
Schedule visits with families of victims, provide transportation for victims as needed, maintain close contact with victims throughout the year. Assist victims with making phone calls, assist with personal care items and clothing as needed. Make referrals for appropriate support services.	51.00	\$10.00	\$510.00
Schedule individual and group counseling services, answer telephone, assist victims with completion of informational forms, filing, assist victims in accessing appropriate support services, provide follow-up services	47.00	\$10.00	\$470.00
SUBTOTAL AMOUNT OF VOLUNTEERS IN-KIND SALARIES:			\$980.00

SECTION 100. PERSONNEL SUMMARY	
FEDERAL FUNDS	\$10,050
CASH MATCH	
IN-KIND MATCH	\$980
PERSONNEL TOTAL	\$11,030

SECTION 100. PERSONNEL (Continued) – BRIEFLY EXPLAIN

Yes No Are job descriptions for each position attached? If not, explain:

Yes No Are resumes for each position attached? If not, explain:

A) Need for each position shown above; justify need for overtime:

Social Worker-- is needed to provide counseling and educational workshops for victims of child abuse and neglect. Position is needed to develop and implement individual and group counseling sessions on various topics in relations to child abuse and neglect.

Project Director -- is needed to oversee project, develop and implement new programs, provide assistance to staff, counsel with victims of abuse and neglect to make assessments and determinations for appropriate services

Counselor -- is needed to provide individual and group counseling sessions with victims of abuse and neglect. Needed to determine appropriate level of individualized care for each participant in the program.

B) The basis for determining the salary of each position:

Salaries are based on the pay scale by the State of Louisiana for Social Workers, Project Directors and Counselors.

C) Project duties of each position requested:

Social Worker will conduct need assessments on each participant in the program, provide individual and group counseling. Determine treatment program for each participant.

Project Director will be responsible for the day to day operation of the program provide assistance to personnel, provide counseling with the victims of abuse, record hours worked and determine if goals of the project are being met. Prepare educational materials and brochures, establish training materials, set up workshop sessions, provide administrative assistance to all staff.

Counselor provides individual and group counseling for victims of abuse. Tally reports, provides feed-back to staff. Monitors and observes victims of abuse.

D) Indicate if personnel will be new or existing personnel. If existing, indicate if position has been backfilled. If this is a continuation application, indicate the personnel's original status. [Existing personnel is an employee that currently works for the agency, but will now be working on grant activities. If so, the position from which the employee was moved must be filled. If employee is same from the previous grant, indicate if the employee was originally hired for that position.]

Personnel - Existing personnel from previous continuation applications
Personnel have held same title/position as originally hired

PROGRAM NARRATIVE

A. PROBLEM DEFINITION

1. Identify the nature and magnitude of the specific problem existing in your particular community that needs to be addressed through this proposed project. **Document the need, not the symptoms or solutions.** Be sure to include current **valid local data** to support the justification. Give the source and date of your information. State the needs of your agency and the needs of the victims in your area as related to this problem and justify the need for the proposed project.

Problem: There has been an increase over the past year in the number of child abuse cases in Louisiana as evidenced by statistics from the Louisiana Department of Social Services, Office of Community Services. During calendar year 2009 in Louisiana (East Baton Rouge Parish, West Baton Rouge Parish, Iberville and Livingston Parishes), there were 2,679 children investigated as possible victims of child abuse/neglect, physical abuse, sexual abuse, and emotional abuse resulting in 764 validated investigations by the Louisiana Department of Social Services, Office of Community Services. Statistics conducted by the Louisiana Child Protection Services shows that for calendar year 2009, there were 764 alternative responses to child abuse cases (emotional, neglect, physical and sexual abuse) cases reported.

Need: The Department of Health and Human Services/Department of Social Services has determined that there is a need for additional counseling and support services to strengthen our family structure in East Baton Rouge Parish and surrounding parishes with the services to include crisis intervention, individual and group counseling, group therapy, conflict resolution, violence prevention skills and family life training skills. In addition, there is a great need for education in the areas of child abuse and molestation of children.

There is a great need to provide additional parenting skills training and educational classes for the parents to prevent the likelihood of child abuse and neglect. Our parents continue to be of a younger generation and are single parents trying to raise children when they have not clear understanding of what parenting is all about.

2. Describe gap in community resources and how the gap was identified. Explain what need is created by this gap in services/programs.

The gap in community resources is the lack of awareness and access of the resources available for children. We find that there are many community resources available in the community but the people are not aware of the resources available to them and how to access them. As we look for support services and referral services, we find that our clients are not aware of the services available to them in the community. Many hear about resources from their neighbors, friends, churches and family members.

The need created by this gap in services/programs is a lack of awareness and how to access the services available in the community. Many services are available via the internet, however, so many of our people in the community cannot afford a computer or the internet.

B. GOALS

GOALS: The primary mission of all projects is to have a positive impact on the victims, not just to accumulate statistics on how many are served. Based on the problem identified, BRIEFLY state what the project hopes to accomplish. Do this by providing a clear statement of the effect this project will have on the problem.

Goal 1: To assist 25 direct victims of child abuse in recovering from the trauma associated with the crime of child abuse and neglect.

Goal 2: Educate and assist victims with support services available, i.e. emergency aid, CVR, emergency financial assistance and a safe haven.

C. OBJECTIVES

OBJECTIVES: Provide at least TWO (2) measurable objectives for EACH goal. Objectives need to be measurable, observable aspects of the program. Identify who, what will change and by how much. Use **absolute numbers, not percentages and be sure to include a baseline number.**

Goal 1:

Objective 1: Provide individualized and group counseling for 25 children who have suffered the trauma of child abuse and provide counseling with family members to aid in the recovery process for the victims. Of the 25 participants receiving counseling we expect 20 to recover from the trauma of child abuse.

Objective 2: Provide 25 victims information and referral services available for them as victims of crimes such as psychological, child protection, medical services, and others as needed during the assessment process.

Goal 2:

Objective 1: Provide educational material and videos for 25 victims of the signs and dangers associated with child abuse. Of the 25 participants receiving educational material and viewing the videos, we expect 25 participants to receive the materials and watch the videos to educate them on the signs and symptoms of child abuse and neglect.

Objective 2: Project Director and trained volunteers will provide 25 victims with a list of support services available in the community for medical, emergency aid and financial assistance and provide victims with assistance in obtaining the help they need from appropriate support services.

All of the 25 participants in the program will receive a list of support services and assistance as needed.

All goals and objectives will be achieved during the project period of September 1, 2010 thru August 31, 2011.

D. ACTIVITIES / METHODS

List the specific activities and/or services to be provided that will accomplish the objectives. Must include a timetable for achieving the various components of your project. Timetable must cover entire grant period. This must relate back to the Goals and Objectives. If this is a training project, omit this page and complete D-2 Training Programs.

Goal 1, Objective 1: Social Worker and Project Director will provide group and individual counseling for 25 victims of abuse and provide outreach services for victims' families, educating them on the dangers associated with abuse and neglect. Counseling sessions are 1 1/2 hours group sessions, twice weekly and 10 hours of individual sessions per victim. Project Director will be available for victims on a 24 hour basis via telephone.

Objective 2: Staff and volunteers will make every effort to collaborate with other agencies in the community and parish to be informed of any additional services available to benefit crime victims with an emphasis on children. The collaborative services will be completed on a daily and/or as needed basis to ensure our clients have the best support services available in the community.

Goal 2, Objective 1: Volunteers will distribute brochures to other agencies, churches and in the community to announce services available to victims of child abuse and neglect.

Objective 2: Volunteers will be trained to provide referrals for medical and professional services. Project Director will provide brochures and flyers on the services available to assist victims of crimes.

All goals and objectives will be achieved during the project period of September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2010.

E. DEMOGRAPHICS

1. This project serves the following Congressional District(s)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 All (Statewide Project)

2. Type of Organizations:

Applicant Agency: Law Enforcement Prosecution Court Non-Profit Organization Tribal Government

Check the one answer that best describes the organization receiving VOCA Formula Grant Program funds.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community-Based Organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Prosecution |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Assault Program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Assault State Coalition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence State Coalition | <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Coalition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Program (Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Government |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dual State Coalition (Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Sexual Assault and/or Domestic Violence Program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government Agency (Department of Human Services, Bureau of Health) | <input type="checkbox"/> Unit of Local Government |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement | <input type="checkbox"/> University/School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Probation, Parole, or Other Correctional Agency | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): |

Yes No Is this a faith-based organization?

Yes No Is this a culturally specific community-based organization?

F. LOUISIANA AUTOMATED VICTIM NOTIFICATION SYSTEM (LAVNS)

1. Name of the individual responsible for assisting victims in regard to accessing and using the LAVNS system:

n/a NAME: PHONE: () - EMAIL:

Yes No 2. Does this individual also serve as agency's point of contact for LAVNS? If not, please provide name and contact information:

NAME: PHONE: () - EMAIL:

Yes No 3. Has this individual attended trainings provided by LCLE to learn how victims are served by LAVNS? If no, agency will request LAVNS training from LCLE within 30 days of award. NOTE: More information regarding the LAVNS program, including training information, can be found at: <http://lcle.la.gov/programs/lavns.asp>.

Yes No 4. Does the agency have posters displayed for promoting LAVNS and brochures readily available to victims? If no, please go to the LCLE website to request free LAVNS materials at: www.lcle.la.gov/lavns.

G. CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS (CVR)

Yes No 1. Is same individual responsible for assisting victims in regard to services available through the CVR program? If not, please provide name and contact information:

NAME: Martha Newborn-Johnson PHONE: (225) 357-1650 EMAIL:

Yes No 2. Does the agency know who the Crime Victims Reparations (CVR) Claims Investigator is at the Parish Sheriff's Office?

Yes No 3. Does the agency have posters displayed for promoting CVR and brochures readily available to victims? If no, please fax a written request (contact person, agency name, mailing address) for free CVR posters and brochures to 225-925-6159. NOTE: More information regarding the CVR program, including applications and other forms, can be found at: <http://lcle.la.gov/programs/cvr.asp>

H. PRIOR RESULTS (For Continuation Projects Only)

1. Based on the objectives of the previous application, what were the measurable outcomes? (Refer to the previous project's performance stated in the quarterly progress reports and other additional information.)

Based on our objectives of providing individual and group counseling for 25 victims of child abuse and neglect we met our goal and objective by providing services to 35 victims of crimes.

We provided referral services for 35 victims of crimes, there exceeding our goal of providing services to 25 victims.

We met our objective to collaborate with other local agencies and churches in the community by attending meetings held at various agencies and churches to make sure each victim received the best support services available in the community.

2. Did the project work as expected? Explain.

Yes.

We made sure that we stated measurable goals and objectives for our scope of services that we provide to all participants in the program.

3. Have the original goals and objectives been revised? Yes No

If Yes, explain what changes will be made in the continuation of this project and why?

I. EVALUATION AND DISSEMINATION OF REPORTING

A COPY OF YOUR EVALUATION FORMS USED FOR THIS PROJECT MUST BE INCLUDED.

1. From who will the data be collected – what is the source?

The data will be collected from each individual receiving services as a victim of child abuse and/or neglect.

2. When will the data be collected?

The data will be collected as a part of the initial intake process and during the follow-up process.

3. Who will collect and analyze the data?

Project Director and Social Worker

4. Who will be responsible for submitting the data for the Quarterly Progress Reports: State name and contact information.

Name: Martha Newborn Johnson

Phone: (225) 357-1650

Email:

5. Following evaluation, who and how will updating or revising of the project's strategy be accomplished?

The Project Direct, Social Worker and Counselor will monitor the evaluation process to make sure the data is used to make any revisions to the program to meet the needs of each participant in the program.

6. Name the recipients who will receive the project's results and the schedule of reporting (i.e. monthly, quarterly, yearly). Recipients MUST state the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement will receive Quarterly Progress Reports and expenditure reports quarterly/monthly as specified at award time. Recipients should also include, if applicable, board of directors, applicant agency (if different from implementing agency), courts with jurisdiction, etc.

Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement will receive quarterly progress reports
Board of Directors
Applicant Agency

J. CONTINUATION

Yes No Do you plan to continue this project at the conclusion of federal support?
Since continued VOCA funding is limited and not assured, alternate funding sources should be sought. Name the sources and potential sources of continued funding for this project at the conclusion of Federal support.

Yes, we plan to continue this much needed project for our children in the community.

Potential Sources:

- Entergy Corp.
- Pennington Family Foundation
- Fund Raising Projects
- Donations

K. RESOURCES

Describe the facilities and additional resources available to this project. Include the physical facility where services are provided. If applicable, list other resources available to this project, i.e. equipment, supplies, staff, etc.

We have an office complex with 3 offices and space for individual and group counseling. As we schedule the classes and it appears that more space is needed, we relocate the classes to a local church that we partner with to utilize additional space.

L. AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

All applications must check one:

- This organization/agency expends \$500,000 or more in federal funds (during the fiscal year of the organization/agency from any and all sources including the amount of this application) AND MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
 1. Date of last audit
 2. Dates covered by last audit:
 3. Date of next audit:
 4. Dates to be covered by next audit:
 5. Date next audit will be forwarded to LCLE:
- This organization/agency expends less than \$500,000 in federal funds from all sources during the fiscal year of the organization/agency.

M. VOLUNTEERS

Yes No Are you using volunteers as match?
If yes, describe the duties and functions performed by the volunteers. Indicate the number of volunteer hours per duty-function for this application (this can be an estimate). Volunteers' duties must directly relate to the focus of this project and information stated in Section 100 Personnel.

Yes No Are volunteers screened in compliance with the Louisiana Child Protection Act (LRS 15:587.1) as appropriate?

Volunteers schedule visits with families of victims, provide transportation for victims as needed, maintain close contact and follow-up with victims throughout the year. Assist victims with making phone calls, assist with personal care items and clothing as needed, make referrals for appropriate support services.

51 Hours @ \$10.00 per hr. = \$510.00

Schedule individual and group counseling services, answer telephone, assist victims with completion of informational forms, filing, assist victims in accessing appropriate support services, provide follow-up services.

47 Hours @ \$10.00 per hr. = \$470.00

N. REQUIRED COMPONENTS

1. Subgrantees are required to help victims apply for victim compensation. Describe a specific plan on how applicant has or will interface with the Louisiana Crime Victims Reparations Program.

During the individual and/or group counseling sessions, all victims of crimes will be educated on the basic requirements of the program, the qualifications, crimes covered, eligible expenses and the award limits. The victims will be given the name and contact information of the CVR representative for this parish. Assistance in the completion of the necessary forms will be offered to all victims of crime in the program.

2. Describe how applicant has/will coordinate activities with other criminal justice system/private service providers in the community. If you have obtained cooperative agreements, a copy may be attached to the application in addition to the brief description.

Applicant will attend various meetings held in the community by other local agencies and providers of services available for children. Applicant agency will look up on the internet the local agencies offering assistance to children suffering from child abuse and neglect. Referrals will be given to crime victims for services we do not provide in house.

3. Indicate how the applicant will address the issue of encouraging the victims to report to law enforcement. Policies and procedures may be attached to the application in addition to the brief description.

During the individual and group counseling sessions participants in the program will be made aware that it is their right to report any crime they are involved to the local law enforcement agency. Staff will encourage the crime victim to report any and all crimes in which they are a victim. The telephone number will be provided if needed by the victim.

4. State that the applicant will comply with the Louisiana Child Protection Act (LRS 15:587.1) as appropriate. The Louisiana Child Protection Act refers to screening prospective employees, NOT reporting instances of child abuse.

Gabriel House will comply with the Louisiana Child Protection Act (LRS 15:587.1) as appropriate.